

WEST LAFAYETTE POLICE MERIT COMMISSION MINUTES  
OCTOBER 12, 2009

The West Lafayette Police Merit Commission met in regular session in the Lower Level Conference Room of City Hall on October 12, 2009, at 7:30 p.m.

Police Merit Commission President Leverenz called the meeting to order and presided.

PRESENT: Commissioners Corrigan, Hoggatt, Leverenz, Sutor, and Troyer.

ALSO PRESENT: Commission Counsel Brooks and Police Chief Dombkowski.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Commissioner Troyer moved approval of the minutes of the July 14, 2009, meeting. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Corrigan. The minutes were approved as distributed. Minutes of the June 8, 2009, and September 14, 2009, meetings will be approved at a later meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

Police Chief Dombkowski provided an update that the promotional tests are being worked on at the command level. Captain Chris Leroux is working with Dr. LeBreton on promotional exams, but because Captain Leroux will be away for 10 weeks, Captain Francis and Lieutenant Sparger will be working with Dr. LeBreton. It is still on schedule for a February testing date.

NEW BUSINESS

A. Police Chief Dombkowski distributed copies of the Department's monthly report, and reviewed it with the Commission.

B. Chief Dombkowski said that there are 57 people left from passing the written exam out of the original 73 tested. After the truth verification test, the Commission will determine which will receive background investigations and interviews. Because it takes about an hour to do each truth verification test, the Chief may ask for relief and with the truth verification tests, perhaps by hiring an outside agency or other polygraphic examiners. To eliminate the long delay, the Commission will provide a list of applicants in rank order of which applicants should have truth verification tests administered by the Police Department first; the Department will then pass those names to the Commission for action and addition to the list. This topic will be considered at a future meeting.

ITEMS FROM THE FLOOR


None.

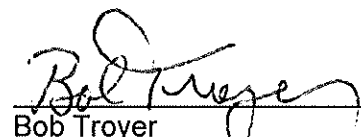
PUBLIC COMMENTS

None.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion, Commissioner Corrigan. Second, Commissioner Troyer. The meeting adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

  
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Larry Leverenz  
President

  
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Bob Troyer  
Secretary